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SUBJECT: (U) NEW DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SECURITY FORCES NAMED

1. (U) JORDANIAN CABINET JUNE 3 APPROVED APPOINTMENT OF
MAMOUN KHALIL AS DIRECTOR GENERAL OF PUBLIC SECURITY FORCES
AND PROMOTED HIM TO RANK OF MAJOR GENERAL. KHALIL FILLS
POSITION VACANT SINCE APRIL 11 DEATH OF GHAZI ARABIYYAT.
IN SIMULTANEOUS MOVE, ACTING DIRECTOR GENERAL, MAJGEN
KHALAF RAFI' THANI, WAS MOVED TO MININT AS A GOVERNOR.

2. (C) KHALIL SPENT HIS CAREER IN THE ARMY (ARTILLERY) AND
WAS RETIRED AS A BRIGADIER. ON FEB. 1, 1976 HE WAS NAMED
GOVERNOR OF IRBID, A POST HE HELD UNTIL TODAY. IN 1974 HE
ATTENDED A TRAINING COURSE AT THE NAVAL POSTGRADUATE SCHOOL
IN MONTEREY, CALIFORNIA. KHALIL, WHO IS MARRIED, WAS BORN
IN 1930 IN AMMAN AND IS A MUSLIM. HE SPEAKS ENGLISH,
TURKISH AND CIRCASSIAN, IN ADDITION TO HIS NATIVE ARABIC.
HE LISTS HIS FULL NAME AS MAMOUN KHALIL IMADEDDEEN MOABASH,
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BUT USES ONLY MAMOUN KHALIL. VELIOTES

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